



Archbishop Tenison's CE High School
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Teacher of English

Position: Teacher of English
Location: Croydon, Surrey
Required for: 1st September 2026
Contract: Permanent
Salary: MPS/UPS including Outer London Allowance
Closing Date: Wednesday 4th March 2026, at 9:00am
Interview Date: TBC

We are looking for an enthusiastic and creative English teacher with a passion for their subject and a commitment to high quality teaching; they will have excellent subject knowledge and commitment to continually develop it. Each member of our department is seen as an integral part of the team, working together sharing ideas and developing resources cohesively. The successful candidate will have the capacity to bring innovative ideas to the classroom and show a strong record of raising student attainment through their teaching. Applications are welcome from both experienced teachers and those seeking their first appointment

Our next team member will:

- Teach from KS3 to A Level in, ideally, both Language and Literature
- Use creativity to develop rich and exciting lessons to cater for all pupils
- Join a highly successful and committed team with excellent results
- Model our pastoral care and our Christian ethos

In return, you will:

- Work alongside knowledgeable and experienced colleagues, developing your own excellent practice
- Be part of a school that has been in Croydon for over 300 years, with strong traditions and wide-ranging extra-curricular activities
- Develop professionally and personally in a secure, supportive and lively atmosphere

The English Department is a strong department that is well respected within our school. The department believe in mixed ability teaching at all levels from KS3 up to KS5. We have a history of strong examination results at GCSE and A Level in both English Language and English Literature. For the past three years, the Department has been focusing on developing an innovative KS3 curriculum that prepares pupils for the demands of the strengthened GCSE and broadens their understanding, and enjoyment of Literature and Language. To further enrich pupils' experience of English, we offer a variety of visits and extra-curricular clubs. We pride ourselves on working together as a team, planning collaboratively and supporting each other in every aspect of day-to-day teaching and learning.

Total number of pupils - 797 pupils (Sixth Form 77)

Exam Results can be viewed via - <https://www.archten.croydon.sch.uk/academicresults>

Archbishop Tenison's is an equal opportunities employer and committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children. Successful candidates will be required to undertake an enhanced Disclosure check by the Criminal Records Bureau; online checks will be carried out.

Application Process: Please submit your application and covering letter to Mr Parrish, Headteacher detailing your suitability for the role by Wednesday 4th March, at 9:00am, Please visit the staff recruitment page via the school website or <https://www.archten.croydon.sch.uk/staffrecruitment>

An initial phone call or visit to explore possibilities and express interest is much encouraged.
Please email Mrs Andrew, Headteacher's PA via patoheadteacher@archten.croydon.sch.uk
or call 020 8688 4014.